



DeSoto Independent School District

Lunch Money Now

Online Payment System

DeSoto ISD's Child Nutrition Department will now offer "Lunch Money Now", an online payment system for parents to put credit towards their child's breakfast and lunch account. The system is fast, easy to use and the funds go directly into the student's meal account.

This access will provide the parent with the ability to do several things, including checking the student's balance, viewing the student's purchase history, and making deposits to the child's meal money account using a credit card. Parents are also able to subscribe for email warnings when their child's account dips below a specified threshold, reminding the parent that their child's balance needs attention.

The credit card deposits are made using a secure transaction site and are typically available within the hour of the transaction. A parent can make deposits to multiple accounts with the same credit card transaction. When accounts get low, parents pay a \$2.50 transaction fee and transfer money into their children's lunch accounts from their credit or debit cards.

The access to a student's account is also secure, requiring several items of student identification to view balances, view purchase history and make deposits via the Internet. The system is up and running and is available 24 hours, 7 days a week.

You may gain access to *Lunch Money Now* by going to the district Web site: <http://www.desotoisd.org/>. Then click on the "What's for Lunch" tab on the left side of the page and click on the "Lunch Money Now" link to get started.

I hope you enjoy this new program and if you have any questions don't hesitate to contact my office anytime.

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